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SUBJECT: LOS: CONSULTATIONS WITH GON

1. U.S. EXPERTS ON LOS DEEP SEABED NEGOTIATIONS WILL BE IN
EUROPE DURING WEEK 12 JANUARY. WE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE
DESIRABLE HOLD CONSULTATIONS WITH GON OFFICIALS ON DEEP
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SEABED ISSUES, PARTICULARLY IN LIGHT OF INCREASED ROLE

WHICH WE EXPECT NORWAY TO PLAY IN THESE NEGOTIATIONS. EMBASSY SHOULD PROPOSE BILATERAL TALKS FOR ABOUT 14-15 JANUARY IN OSLO. PRECISE TIME AND DATES FOR TALKS CAN BE ARRANGED IN LIGHT OF CONVENIENCE FOR GON OFFICIALS, AND FLIGHT SCHEDULES IN AND OUT OF OSLO. FYI: TEAM WILL BE VISITING BONN JANUARY 12-13 FOR CONSULTATIONS WITH FRG. MEMBERS OF TEAM MAY ALSO GO TO BRUSSELS AT END OF WEEK TO MEET WITH MEMBERS OF EC-9 DELEGATIONS WHO MAY BE IN BRUSSELS ATTENDING CONSULTATIONS ON DEEP SEABEDS ISSUES. END FYI.

2. TEAM, WHICH WILL CONSIST OF LEIGH RATINER, ADMINISTRATOR, OCEAN MINING ADMINISTRATION, DEPT OF INTERIOR, AND GEORGE TAFT, OFFICE OF THE LAW OF THE SEA NEGOTIATIONS, DEPT OF STATE, WOULD LIKE TO MEET FOR IN-DEPTH

DISCUSSION OF DEEP SEABED ISSUES INCLUDING U.S. VIEWS ON SINGLE NEGOTIATING TEXT, ON DEEP SEABED REGIME AND MACHINERY WITH HELGE VINDENESS. IF APPROPRIATE, TEAM WOULD ALSO LIKE TO PAY COURTESY CALL ON JENS EVENSEN. KISSINGER

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